

# MAY AND JOCKEY CLUB DEFIES ITS OWN STAKING COMMISSION

## ACTION DENIES J. K. L. ROSS'S RIGHT TO START HORSES IN RICH STAKES.

By Jockey Club.

Special Despatch to THE NEW YORK HERALD.

BALTIMORE, April 11.—The Maryland Jockey Club today refused recognition to J. K. L. Ross as agent for J. K. L. Ross when he attempted to make the Ross entries for the stakes that close today. This promises to reopen the strife between the Maryland Commission and the jockey club, and it also promises to deny Mr. Ross the right to start in any of the big turf prizes that are to be decided at Pimlico in May. This includes the \$40,000 Freehold, for which he had several entries to make.

## MAY CALL OFF MEETING

### Despite Action of State Commission, Association Stands by Jockey Club.

The action of the Maryland Jockey Club was taken on the ground that J. K. L. Ross had been refused recognition by the jockey club as agent for Mr. Ross, although the Maryland Commission granted him such recognition. The Maryland Commission, however, refused to recognize the jockey club for trainers and jockeys, but there was nothing in that acceptance to include stable agents.

Just how it will take the action of the Maryland Jockey Club in refusing J. K. L. Ross well recognition remains to be seen, but it is entirely possible that it might result in that body cancelling the license for the spring meeting.

Justice Allen McLane, whose name has been lately mentioned for the post of State Racing Commissioner, to succeed Joseph Kennedy, declined the invitation extended by Gov. Ritchie today. The name of Bennett G. Carrell of southern Maryland is now being considered among others for the position.

## Ensor on Long Shot.

Buddy Ensor's services are so much in demand by owners of well conditioned horses that it is seldom the lad has an opportunity to guide home a long shot, but today at Bowie he scored with Sugarbunt at the long price of \$49.50 in the \$2 mutuels. The demonstration by the faithful followers of the lad, who back his mounts with regard to quality or previous record, was bolsterous.

Ima Frank was favorite in the race won by Sugarbunt, but suffered interference while Ensor had his mount swinging near the leaders through the early stages. Rounding the turn Ensor sent his filly to the lead, and she won handily by a length and a half from Ima Frank, which closed racing after having to go to the extreme outside entering the stretch.

The daily feature proved a gift to Tom McTaggart, an accident, broke down during the running. Ensor sent McTaggart away to an early lead and took him under restraint behind Smart Guy's pace to the home stretch. Ensor sent him to the front and landed him the victory by three lengths. Smart Guy was second and King John third. Columbine appeared to labor throughout the race, but after the race Jockey Club officials reported that she had broken down three furlongs from home. He was removed from the track with considerable difficulty.

## Three Straight for the General.

General Agrinone won his third successive race in his four efforts of the meeting and was returned to the bank of the New York City Hotel after the race. The colt was confidently and poorly ridden and ran as though pounds the beat. Under the Maryland rule General Agrinone will not be permitted to start in the Louis colors in a claiming race until May 8, which will terminate a thirty day period, since Louis lost him in a claiming race.

Phil Chinn defeated the juvenile colt in Opperman, winner of the juvenile race. He was badly kicked and a wide mash laid open in his leg while at the post. When the starter gave the word he interfered with, but he overcame all difficulties in the stretch run and won going away by two lengths from Chaste Star. Miriam Cooper and others.

## AMATEURS BOX FOR TITLES IN BOSTON

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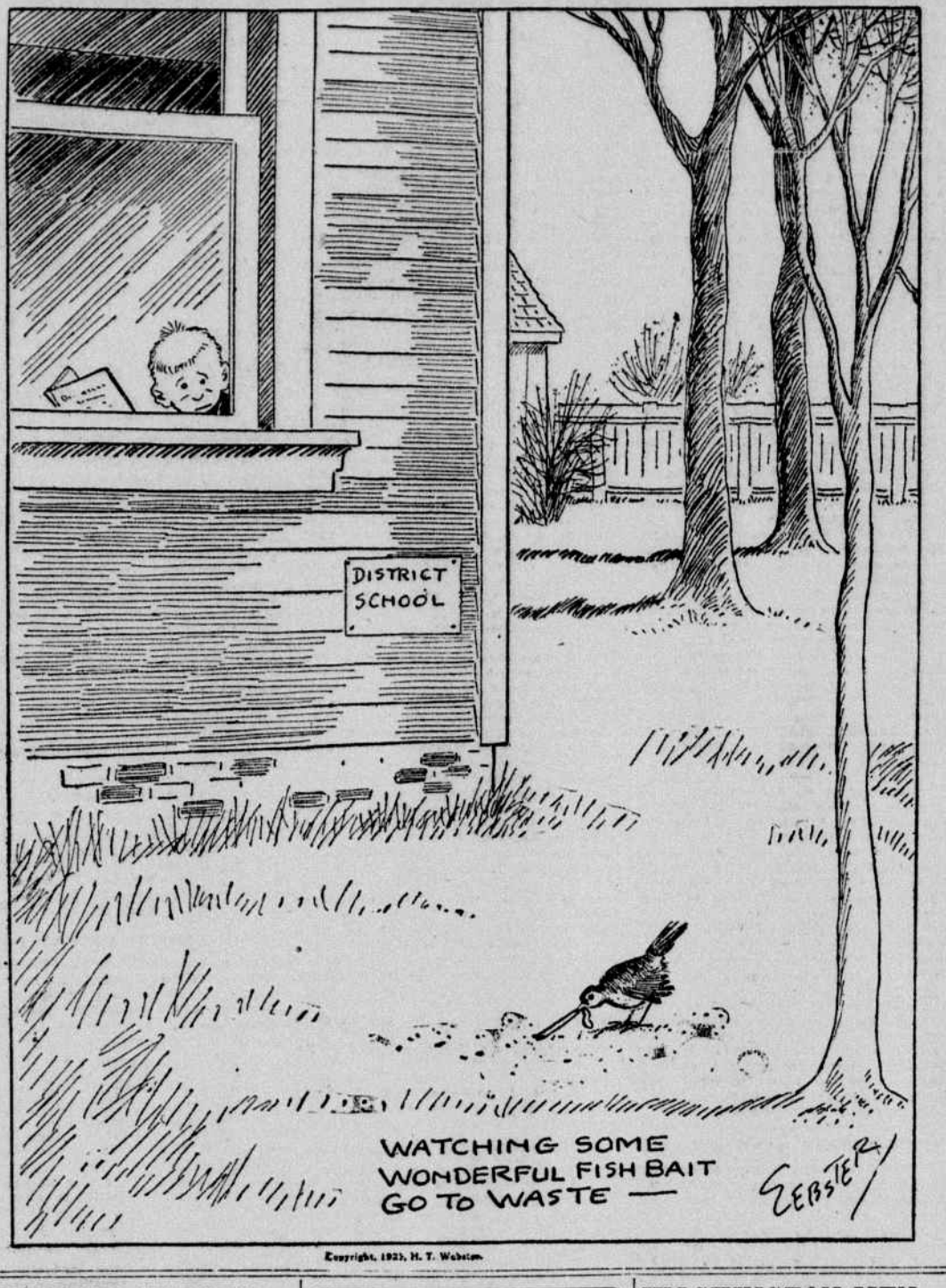
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## Life's Darkest Moment



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## MAY KEEP HORSES OUT OF MARYLAND

Trainers at Belmont Postpone Shipment to Havre de Grace Course.

By HENRY V. KING.

Three carloads of horses were scheduled to leave Belmont Park for Havre de Grace yesterday afternoon, but they didn't move. The cars were on the siding and the expressman ready to send them through to the Maryland course, but the trainers postponed the shipment. Two reasons were advanced for the postponement. One was that the trainers feared the cough that is raging in Maryland, and the other was that the local sportsmen are awaiting the appointment of a commissioner to take the place left vacant by the recent resignation of Joseph P. Kennedy and the result of the meeting of the reconstructed commission in Maryland.

Trainers at Belmont Park received word on Saturday that a great many horses at Havre de Grace were coughing and have a heavy fever. Among the thoroughbreds hit by the epidemic are those belonging to Walter J. Salmon. Gene Weylan had the Salmon horses far advanced and almost ready for the races when they were stricken. Four of them have a temperature of 102.

Because of the epidemic the horsemen at the Maryland course have been hurried here for Dr. McCully, the veterinarian.

The report of this illness reached Gravesend, too, but it didn't prevent the ship. Dick Miller sent his string and John Whalen shipped his.

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## TO RELIEVE TENNIS CLUBS OF BURDEN

### Association Representative to Enforce Tournament Rules in Open Events.

By SAMUEL J. BROOKMAN.

In order to relieve the tennis clubs of some of the burden of enforcing the rules of tournament play recently adopted by the new Metropolitan Tennis Association, the latter organization has decided to have a representative on hand at every sanctioned tournament, beginning with the open doubles event of the University Heights Tennis Club on April 30.

The idea is to throw the weight of the association behind the clubs in the movement to eliminate the evils of defaults and delays that have marred open competition in the past.

While the association has no desire to interfere with the tournament management, it will go very carefully into the matter of seeing that all entries have been submitted in writing, that all fees are paid before the draw is made, that players not on time for their matches are defaulted and that all defaults are reported to the association.

There has been some doubt expressed as to the willingness of club to default start players who must be careless in keeping their assignments for play, but the work of the association will be to insist that no favoritism be shown toward the starters or any other players. As the Metropolitan Association in the future will have control of the granting of sanctions in the district, it will behoove the clubs conducting such tournaments to abide by the rules very strictly.

## To Exact Penalty.

As for the players, defaults in two sanctioned tournaments under the new rules will bar them from further participation in open events within the district for the rest of the season, unless reasonable excuses can be advanced for the defaults in question.

The association announced yesterday that an interclub team championship of the metropolitan district will be held late this season, in which squads of not less than eight players will compete in six singles and three doubles matches in every dual meet. An association of clubs such as the North Jersey Tennis Association, the American team which won the championship of the Metropolitan Association, will be permitted to enter a team selected from any or all the clubs in its organization.

Plans of the Philadelphia and District Association to amalgamate the various tennis leagues of that city are progressing favorably. The Suburban Tennis League and the District and Intertownship leagues have decided to join in the movement and several others of the myriad leagues are expected to follow suit. The new organization when completed will be known as the Middle States Tennis League. The district will include all clubs in West New Jersey, Philadelphia, Reading, Bethlehem and Wilmington.

## First of Grass Court Events.

Without the services of William T. Tilden 2d, who will be in Europe at the time, Philadelphia has little hope of winning this year's Intercollegiate series for the Courts Cup, to be played on the courts of the University of Pennsylvania in 1921 and 1922. There is every indication that it will be a close tussle between the teams of New York and Boston. The Hub team, which won the series last year, is headed by Forest Hills, can count on R. Norris Williams 2d, Nathaniel W. Niles, C. Colket, Canver, Richard Hart, Irving C. Johnson, Harvey H. Bundy, Raymond B. Bidwell and Burnham Dell, among others. New York will have Ichika Kumage, Watson, and the other members of the team. Old Throckmorton, Walter Merrill Hall, Leonard Beckman, Frank T. Anderson, Frederick C. Anderson and Francis T. Hunter as its leading candidates. Victor Richards is expected to make the trip to France and England with Tilden. The tournament, which will be the fourth for the Intercollegiate championship series, will be the first of the season. Each city has one victory to its credit thus far.

## GOULD AND M'KEAN WIN.

Boston, April 11.—Jay Gould of New York, world's court tennis champion, and O. A. S. McLean of Boston defeated the local team, which won the title at the Boston Athletic Association today. The score was 6-2, 7-5, 7-9, 2-6, 7-5.

BOWLING AT THUN'S ACADEMY.

Champ will meet champ when six of the very best bowlers in the United States compete in a series of matches at Thun's Academy. The series will be the most successful bowling season in the history of the sport. The first match was played in June at his White Elephant Bowling Academy.

## BOWIE ENTRIES.

First Race—Claiming; two-year-olds; four furlongs. Index. Horse. Wt. PP. 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